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LETTER SUBMITTING DRAWING SHEETS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is request that the enclosed SIX (6) sheets of Formal Drawings for FIGS. 1 A-1D, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B & 5 be entered to replace the Informal Drawings originally filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Additional documents filed herewith:

Request for Extension of Time (Two-Months); Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 (Executed); Terminal Disclaimer (Executed); Letter Submitting Drawing Sheets; Replacement Drawings for Figs. 1A-1D, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B & 5; Attached to the Amendment: Mansoor W et al (Br J Cancer. 2005 Nov 14;93(10):1085-91); Banchereau J. (Transfus Sci. 1997 Jun;18(2):313-26); Irintchev A et al (J Physiol. 1997 May 1;500 (Pt 3):775-85); Baums MH et al (J Bone Joint Surg Am. 2006 Feb;88(2):303-8); Baltzer AW, Arnold JP

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